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To: Local Boards of Health

From: Priscilla Neves, Director

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Date: 1/21/09

Re: Multi-state Salmonella typhimurium Outbreak Updates

- 42 Cases associated with the multi-state Salmonella typhimurium reported to date in MA.
- MA Department of Public Health is participating daily in FDA and CDC conference calls relative to this investigation. Information will be shared with local boards of health and stakeholders as it is received.
- FDA's recall web site now contains searchable engine for recalled human and pet food products associated with this outbreak.
- FDA is still in process of visiting 70 Peanut Corporation of America (PCA) consignees who used recalled peanut butter. No further information on distribution is available at this time. BOH should focus on recalled products in high risk food stores and institutional food service operations that may not have received recall information.
- MA FPP and local boards of health have conducted 19/20 recall effectiveness checks of retail food facilities who received peanut butter from City Line Distributor in CT that was recently found to have the matching strain of Salmonella in a closed commercially packaged 5lb tub of peanut butter.
- FPP has shared recall information with MA Food manufacturers and distributors (27 who use peanut butter have self-reported no use of recalled peanut products to date)
- FPP and FDA have conducted recall effectiveness checks (REC) at 5 of the major food manufacturers and distributors /FPP in MA. FPP will continue to coordinate REC with FDA and local boards of health.
- FPP sent a HHAN alert to BOH on 1/20/09 requesting assistance with REC at retail facilities using standardized protocols and forms. If recalled product is found on sale, request

voluntary removal from sale or embargo product. REC forms should be faxed to FPP as soon as possible at 617-983-6770.

- Large grocery chains including food banks (Roche Bros., Stop & Shop, Big Y, DeMoulas, Shaws and Greater Boston Food Bank) have been contacted to assess awareness and effectiveness of recall and response. All are aware of the recalls, removing products from sale and coordinating destruction or return of products to manufacturers.
- A distribution list of recalled products distributed or found in MA is attached. Latest recalls affecting MA not yet added in full to FDA's Table as of 1/21/09

PetSmart Voluntarily Recalls Grreat Choice® Dog Biscuits

http://www.fda.gov/oc/po/firmrecalls/petsmart01_09.html

 $\label{lem:ready-pact} \begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Ready Pac Foods, Inc Announces Voluntary Product Recall} \\ \underline{\textbf{http://www.fda.gov/oc/po/firmrecalls/readypac01_09.html}} \\ \end{tabular}$

Country Maid Announces Voluntary Nationwide Recall of Classic Breaks® Peanut Butter Cookie Dough Due to Possible Health Risk

http://www.fda.gov/oc/po/firmrecalls/countrymaid01_09.html

Only samples associated with illness or implicated codes should be considered for testing. Food sample submissions must be coordinated through the Food Protection Program. Please call FPP at 617-983-6712 if you have any questions about the recall, enforcement, suspect illnesses and sample submissions.

Additional Resources

- The most up to date recall information on this outbreak along with information for consumers, retailers, and food service directors can be located at the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) web site at http://www.fda.gov/oc/opacom/hottopics/salmonellatyph.html
- Additional outbreak information is also available on the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) web site at http://www.cdc.gov/salmonella/typhimurium/
- A complete list of recalled products nationwide is available on FDA's web site at http://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/peanutbutterrecall/index.cfm. This site allows the user to search by brand name (Example: Austin Quality Foods, Keebler), UPC Code (Example: 54807-59114), product description (Example: Crackers with Peanut Butter) and any combination of: brand name, description, UPC code

Category	Recalling Firm	Brand Name	Description	Pack Size	Lot Numbers	Stock Numbers	UPC Code
Snack Bar	Abbott Nutrition	NutriPals	Peanut Butter Chocolate nutrition bars	All sizes and quantities			
Snack Bar	Abbott Nutrition	ZonePerfect	Chocolate Peanut Butter Bars	All sizes and quantities			
Snack Bar	Abbott Nutrition	ZonePerfect	Peanut Toffee Bars	All sizes and quantities			
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	CLIF BAR	Chocolate Chip Peanut Crunch - Best by: 21JUN09 to 01OCT09 and 03NOV09 to 28NOV09				
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	CLIF BAR	Crunchy Peanut Butter - Best by: 21JUN09 to 01OCT09 and 03NOV09 to 28NOV09				
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	CLIF BAR	Peanut Toffee Buzz - Best by: 13SEP09				
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	CLIF BAR	Builder's Peanut Butter - Best by: 19JUL09 to 30SEP09 and 05NOV09 to 18NOV09				
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	CLIF BAR	Kid Organic ZBaR Peanut Butter - Best by: 07JUL09 to 05SEP09 and 12NOV09				
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	LUNA	Nutz Over Chocolate - Best by: 29JUL09 to 03OCT09 and 11NOV09 to 14NOV09				

Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	LUNA	Peanut Butter Cookie - Best by: 02OCT09 to 03OCT09 and 11NOV09 to 14NOV09			
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	мојо	Honey Roasted Peanut - Best by: 30APR09 to 21JUN09			
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	мојо	Mixed Nuts - Best by: 30APR09 to 21JUN09			
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	мојо	Mountain Mix - Best by:30APR09 to 21JUN09			
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	MOJO	Peanut Butter Pretzel - Best by:30APR09 to 21JUN09			
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	мојо	Dipped Chocolate Peanut- Best by: 30APR09 - 21JUN09			
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	MOJO	Dipped Peanut Butter and Jelly- Best by: 30APR09 - 21JUN09			
Snack Bar	Clif Bar & Company	мојо	Dipped Fruit and Nut- Best by: 30APR09 - 21JUN09			
Snack Bar	General Mills	JamFrakas	Peanut Butter Blisscrisp flavor snack bars	All		
Snack Bar	General Mills	LÄRABAR	Peanut butter cookie flavor snack bars	All		
Fruit and Vegetable	H-E-B	H-E-Buddy	Celery with Peanut Butter with expiration dates: Jan. 16-18 & Jan. 20-22			41220- 29701
Fruit and Vegetable	H-E-B	H-E-Buddy	Apples with Peanut Butter: with expiration dates: Jan. 16, Jan.			41220- 98734

			18-23 & Jan. 25-26			
Fruit and Vegetable	H-E-B	H-E-Buddy	Snack Tray with two dips: with expiration dates: Jan. 16-17, Jan. 29, & Jan. 21-22			41220- 54449
Cookie	Hy-Vee	Hy-Vee	Peanut Butter Cookies	All	All	
Cookie	Hy-Vee	Hy-Vee	Monster Cookies	All	All	
Cookie	Hy-Vee	Hy-Vee	Peanut Butter Reese's Pieces Cookies	All	All	
Cookie	Hy-Vee	Hy-Vee	Peanut Butter Chocolate Chip Cookies	All	All	
Cookie	Hy-Vee	Hy-Vee	Lunchbox Reese's Pieces Cookies	All	All	
Cookie	Hy-Vee	Hy-Vee	Lunchbox Peanut Butter Cookies	All	All	
Candy	Hy-Vee	Hy-Vee	People Chow Party Mix and Assorted Truffle Fudge	All	All	
Cracker	Kellogg	Austin Quality Foods	Cheese Crackers with Peanut Butter	AII	AII	
Cracker	Kellogg	Austin Quality Foods	Cheese & Peanut Butter Sandwich Crackers	All	All	
Cracker	Kellogg	Austin Quality Foods	Mega Stuffed Cheese Crackers with Peanut Butter	All	All	
Cracker	Kellogg	Austin Quality Foods	PB & J Cracker Sandwiches	AII	AII	
Cracker	Kellogg	Austin Quality Foods	Super Snack Pack Sandwich Crackers	AII	All	
Cracker	Kellogg	Austin Quality Foods	Chocolate Peanut Butter Sandwich Crackers	All	All	
Cracker	Kellogg	Austin Quality Foods	Toasty Crackers with Peanut Butter	All	All	
Cracker	Kellogg	Austin Quality Foods	Fruits and Vegetables	AII	All	

Cracker	Kellogg	Austin Quality Foods	Reduced Fat Toasty Crackers with Peanut Butter Sandwich Crackers	All	All	
Cracker	Kellogg	Austin Quality Foods	Cookie/Cracker Pack	All	All	
Cracker	Kellogg	Austin Quality Foods	Variety Pack	All	All	
Cookie	Kellogg	Famous Amos	Peanut Butter Cookies	2 and 3- ounce	All	
Cracker	Kellogg	Keebler	Cheese & Peanut Butter Sandwich Crackers	All	All	
Cracker	Kellogg	Keebler	Toast & PB'n J Flavored Sandwich Crackers	All	All	
Cracker	Kellogg	Keebler	Toast & Peanut Butter Sandwich Crackers	All	All	
Cookie	Kellogg	Keebler	Soft Batch Homestyle Peanut Butter Cookies	2.5-ounce	All	
Peanut Butter	King Nut Companies	King Nut	Peanut butter		all codes beginning with 8	
Peanut Butter	King Nut Companies	Parnell's Pride	Peanut butter		all codes beginning with 8	
Ice Cream	Kroger Co.	Private Selection	Peanut Butter Passion Ice Cream sold ("Sell by" date of 9-13-2009)	48-ounce containers		1111054437
Ice Cream	Kroger Co.	Private Selection	Peanut Butter Passion Ice Cream "Sell by" date of 8- 11-2009	56-ounce containers		1111052816
Cracker	McKee Foods Corporation	Little Debbie	Peanut Butter Toasty sandwich crackers	All	All	
Cracker	McKee Foods Corporation	Little Debbie	Peanut Butter Cheese sandwich crackers	All	All	
Cracker	Meijer	Meijer	Cheese and Peanut Butter Sandwich	All		0-41250- 56235

]	Crackers				
Cracker	Meijer	Meijer	Toasty Peanut Butter Sandwich Crackers	All			0-41250- 56239
Ice Cream	Meijer	Meijer	Peanut Butter and Jelly Ice Cream	All			00000007- 19283- 96635-3
Ice Cream	Meijer	Meijer	Peanut Butter Cup Ice Cream	All			00000007- 19283- 96843-2
Snack Bar	Nature's Path	Optimum Energy Bars	Peanut Butter Flavored Optimum Energy Bars - Best Before 010CT09A				
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Creamy Stabilized Peanut Butter	6 ct/ 5 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551000	
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Creamy Stabilized Peanut Butter with Sugar	6 ct/ 5 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551000 AZ	
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Crunchy Stabilized Peanut Butter	6 ct/ 5 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551006	
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Creamy Stabilized Peanut Butter	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551020	
Peanut Paste	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Natural Course Peanut Paste	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551022	
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Old Fashion Creamy Peanut Butter with 1% Salt	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551025	
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Old Fashioned Crunchy Peanut Butter w/ 1% Salt	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551026	
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Crunchy Stabilized Peanut Butter	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551034	
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Crunchy Natural Peanut Butter	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551035	
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or	Creamy Natural Peanut Butter	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001	551040	

		Parnell's Pride			to 9016	
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Sugar Free Creamy Stabilized Peanut Butter	50 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551049
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Creamy Stabilized Peanut Butter	50 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551050
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Creamy Stabilized Peanut Butter with Palm Oil	50 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551050-PO
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Dark Creamy Stabilized Peanut Butter	50 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551050-D
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Creamy Extra Stabilized Peanut Butter	50 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551050-XS
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Creamy Stabilized Peanut Butter w/monodiglyceride	50 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551051
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Crunchy Stabilized Peanut Butter	50 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551053
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Extra Crunchy Stabilized Peanut Butter	50 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551053-OS
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Creamy Natural Peanut Butter with Stabilizer	475 lb.	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551059
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Organic Natural Creamy Peanut Butter	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551060
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Organic Old Fashioned Crunchy Peanut Butter	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551061
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Organic Crunchy Natural Peanut Butter	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551062
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Organic Old Fashioned Creamy Peanut Butter	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551063
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or	Organic Natural Creamy Peanut	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001	551064

		Parnell's Pride	Butter		to 9016	
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Peanut Butter Variegate	45 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551072
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Creamy Natural Redskin Peanut Butter with Salt	475 lb.	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551080
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Creamy Natural Peanut Butter	475 lb.	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551082
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Dark Roasted Creamy Natural Peanut Butter	475 lb.	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	551082-DR
Pet Food Peanut Paste	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Pet Food Paste	35 lb	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	561000
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Feed Grade Peanut Butter	475 lb.	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	561000
Peanut Butter	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Creamy Natural Peanut Butter	1700 lb.	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	100TPASTE
Peanut Paste	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Peanut Paste	1700 lb.	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	RM-PASTE
Peanut Paste	Peanut Corporation of America	Peanut Corporation of America or Parnell's Pride	Coarse Natural Paste	Tanker	8183 to 8366, 9001 to 9016	561058
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Perry's	Premium Peanut Butter Cup Craze Ice Cream	1/2 Pint	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Perry's	Peanut Butter Cup Ice Cream	1.5 QT, 1.75 QT AND 3 GL	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Perry's	Peanut Butter Chip Frozen Yogurt	1.5 QT, 1.75 QT and 3 GL	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Perry's	Peanut Butter Sundae Crunch Ice Cream Bar	Bulk 24 pack	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Perry's	Premium Peanut Butter Fudge Ice	1.5 QT and 1.75 QT	All	

			Cream			
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Perry's	Perfectly Churned Light Peanut Butter Cup Ice Cream	1.5 QT and 1.75 QT	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Perry's	Light Peanut Butter Cup Ice Cream	1.75 QT	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Shurfine	Peanut Butter Cup Ice Cream	1.75 QT	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Wegman's	Chocolate Nutty Cone Ice Cream	1.75 QT	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Wegman's	Peanut Butter Cup Ice Cream	1.75 QT and Pint	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Wegman's	Peanut Butter Swirl Ice Cream	1.75 QT	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Wegman's	Peanut Butter Sundae Ice Cream	1.75 QT	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Wegman's	Peanut Butter Pretzel Ice Cream	1.75 QT	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Wegman's	Peanut Butter Crunch Ice Cream Bar	6 Pack	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Wegman's	Peanut Butter Candy Sundae Cup Ice Cream	4 Pack	All	
Ice Cream	Perry's Ice Cream Company	Wegman's	Peanut Butter Sundae Cup Ice Cream	4 Pack	All	
Cookie	Ralcorp	Food Lion Bake Shop	Peanut butter Cookies	12 count clear plastic clamshell containers	9200 or less	
Cookie	Ralcorp	Lofthouse	Peanut Butter Cookies	12 count clear plastic clamshell containers	9200 or less	
Cookie	Ralcorp	Lofthouse	Peanut Butter No- Bake Cookies	9 or 12 count clear plastic clamshell	9200 or less	

				containers		
Cookie	Ralcorp	Lofthouse	Peanut Butter Fudge No-Bake Cookies	9 or 12 count clear plastic clamshell containers	9200 or less	
Cookie	Ralcorp	Parco Foods Chuck's Chunky	Peanut Butter Cookies	5lb boxes	9200 or less	
Cookie	Ralcorp	Pastries Plus	Gourmet Cookies	21 count plastic containers	9200 or less	
Cookie	Ralcorp	WalMart Bakery	Peanut Butter Cookie	12 Count Clear Plastic Container		7.0897E+10
Cookie	Ralcorp	WalMart Bakery	Harvest Peanut Butter Fudge No- Bake Cookies	9 Count Clear Plastic Container		7.0897E+10
Cookie	Ralcorp	WalMart Bakery	Peanut Butter Fudge No-Bake Cookies	9 Count Clear Plastic Container		7.0897E+10
Cookie	Ralcorp	WalMart Bakery	Peanut Butter Fudge No-Bake Cookies	12 Count Clear Plastic Container		7.0897E+10
Candy	South Bend Chocolate Company	South Bend Chocolate Company	Assorted chocolates	5 Ounce	Product 121	
Candy	South Bend Chocolate Company	South Bend Chocolate Company	Assorted chocolates	8 Ounce	Product 122	
Candy	South Bend Chocolate Company	South Bend Chocolate Company	Assorted chocolates	12 Ounce	Product 123	
Candy	South Bend Chocolate Company	South Bend Chocolate Company	Assorted chocolates	26 Ounce	Product 124	
Candy	South Bend Chocolate Company	South Bend Chocolate Company	Hoosiers	5 Ounce	Product 124	4482300011

Candy	South Bend Chocolate Company	South Bend Chocolate Company	Hoosiers	3.5 Ounce	Product 011	4482300010
Candy	South Bend Chocolate Company	South Bend Chocolate Company	Valentine Heart	14 Ounces	Product 1020	
Candy	South Bend Chocolate Company	South Bend Chocolate Company	Peanut Butter Fudge	4.5lb.	Product 228	
Candy	South Bend Chocolate Company	South Bend Chocolate Company	Hoosiers	4 lb.	Product 410	
Candy	South Bend Chocolate Company	South Bend Chocolate Company	Peanut Butter Meltaway, Milk Chocolate	5 lb.	Product 204	
Candy	South Bend Chocolate Company	South Bend Chocolate Company	Peanut Butter Meltaways-Dark Chocolate	5lb.	Product 204D	
Candy	South Bend Chocolate Company	South Bend Chocolate Company	Peanut Butter Chocolate Fudge	4.5 lb.	Product 229	